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**B. Relation of Proposed Project to OHV Recreation**

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#### **C. Identification of Needs**

The Victor Valley Search and Rescue team conducts several safety events in the communities and schools located in the Victor Valley. Team members often use Off-Highway equipment to show children and adults the safety equipment that should be worn while operating any OHV equipment. Team members use OHV equipment at the elementary school safety fairs to provide children the opportunity to receive supervised instruction and demonstration on how to mount and dismount OHV equipment.

The Victor Valley Search and Rescue Team is requesting grant funding for two 4X4 Utility Quads to be used by search and rescue team members for the search and rescue mission in the off highway areas, as well as for public events, safety fairs, and child safety fairs.

The Victor Valley Search and Rescue Team is also requesting grant funding for the training of two search and rescue members to become ATV Institute instructors.

#### **D. Location of Training Services**

The Victor Valley Search and Rescue Team will be conducting safety fairs at the schools located throughout the Victor Valley. The safety fair events include events at Lomitas School in Victorville, Victor Valley Christian School in Victorville, Hollyvale Elementary School in Hesperia.

The Victor Valley Search and Rescue Team will also be conducting safety fair events at the Mail of Victor Valley, City of Hesperia, and additional locations throughout the year.

The Victor Valley Search and Rescue Team will be conducting several OHV public contact events in the Johnson Valley OHV Area, Juniper Flats OHV Area, and Stoddard Wells Area. Team members will speak to the public about safe of OHV

and additional legal riding areas located in San Bernardino County.

**E. OHV Safety, Environmental Responsibility, and Respect Private Property**

The Victor Valley Search and Rescue Team will use programs already established and in place, such as "Tread lightly" and "Pack in / Pack out" and "Hug a tree". Team members will provide literature to public during safety fair events and schedules OHV community contacts. Team members will provide information to the public about legal riding areas. Team members will contact the public about illegal riding and unauthorized land use in regards to the San Bernardino County Land Use County Codes. Team members will help identify the land intrusion problems are that currently in the local communities and surrounding BLM and USFS area.

Members of the Victor Valley Search and Rescue team will help educate the public about protecting the natural environment during community safety fairs. Teams members will teach children and adults the importance of staying on designated OHV trails and operating OHV equipment only in designated OHV area.

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 Agency: San Bernardino County Sheriff's Department  
 Application: VVLY OHV Education & Safety

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Other-Search and Rescue Team Members Notes : Other-Search and Rescue team members Notes : Search and Rescue team members volunteer time used as grant allocation match. Team members volunteer time at all safety events and search and rescue events throughout the Victor Valley and San Bernardino County.	250.000	24.790	HRS	0.00	6,198.00	6,198.00
<b>2</b>	<b>Contracts</b>					
<b>3</b>	<b>Materials / Supplies</b>					
Emergency Medical Supplies Notes : Emergency Medical Supplies Notes : First aid supplies/kits for first responders.	2.000	150.000	EA	300.00	0.00	300.00
<b>4</b>	<b>Equipment Use Expenses</b>					
Other-Vehicle Operations and Maintenance Notes : Vehicle Operations and Maintenance Notes : Fuel and maintenance cost associated with search and rescue operations.	1.000	2500.000	MISC	2,500.00	0.00	2,500.00
<b>5</b>	<b>Equipment Purchases</b>					
Other-Other-4x4 Utility Quads Notes : Other-4x4 Utility Quads Notes : Quads will be used to demonstrate safe OHV operations. Quads will be used by search and rescue personnel during infield operations.	2.000	7800.000	EA	13,600.00	2,000.00	15,600.00
<b>6</b>	<b>Others</b>					
Training Notes : Grant funding to send two search and rescue team members to training to become certified ATV instructors.	1.000	1000.000	MISC	1,000.00	0.00	1,000.00
<b>7</b>	<b>Indirect Costs</b>					

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Line Item	Qty	Rate	UOM	Grant Request	Match	Total
Indirect Costs-Indirect Cost / Administr Notes : Indirect cost for grant administration.	25.000	24.390	HRS	0.00	610.00	610.00
<b>Total Program Expenses</b>				17,400.00	8,808.00	26,208.00
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2	Contracts	0.00	0.00	
3	Materials / Supplies	300.00	300.00	
4	Equipment Use Expenses	2,500.00	2,500.00	
5	Equipment Purchases	13,600.00	15,600.00	
6	Others	1,000.00	1,000.00	
7	Indirect Costs	0.00	610.00	
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